

Peace Resource Center of San Diego

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Mayor and City Council Members City of San Diego City Administration Building 202 C Street San Diego, CA 92101

RE: Support for Community Choice Energy (CCE)

Dear Mayor Faulconer and Council Members,

This communication is from the San Diego Peace Resource Center (<u>www.prcsd.org</u>), which for 35+ years has been one of the San Diego Region's preeminent nonprofits pursuing peace, freedom, social, economic and environmental justice.

Thank you for taking a leading role in addressing climate change and moving our city toward a 100% clean energy future.

Community Choice Energy is one of the key strategies for achieving our Climate Action Plan goals. Community Choice gives San Diego families local control over our energy future, helps stabilize or reduce our rates, and provides us with the freedom to choose the source of our electricity.

We are particularly interested in the opportunity for a local community choice program to buy increasing amounts of power from local sources, supporting local jobs and local economic development.

We believe the city should join California's 9 counties and 70 cities in the movement for clean energy, clean jobs, and local choice through Community Choice Energy.

Thank you for supporting the freedom of energy choice for San Diego.

Sincerely,

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